CITY OF HIALEAH REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

FOR THE DRILLING, CONSTRUCTION AND TESTING OF

UPPER FLORIDIAN AQUIFER WELLS No. 8, 9, 12 AND 13 ADVERTISEMENT

and

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS

Sealed, written Proposals in Response to the RFP "Proposal" will only be received by the City Clerk of the City of Hialeah, in the City Clerk's office on the 3rd Floor of City Hall located at 501 Palm Avenue, Hialeah, Florida, until 11:00 A.M. Thursday June 19, 2014, at which time the proposals will be opened by the City Clerk in the 3rd Floor Council Chambers, 501 Palm Avenue, Hialeah, Florida, and delivered to the Public Works Department for review and handling, for furnishing the following:

RE-BID FOR THE DRILLING, CONSTRUCTION AND TESTING OF UPPER FLORIDIAN AQUIFER WELLS No. 8, 9, 12 AND 13 RFP No. 2013/14-9500-00-007

Evaluation of the proposals and the ranking of each Respondent will be made by an Evaluation Committee. Evaluation criteria: Project Team/Technical Qualifications (40 percent) & Contract Terms and Conditions and Pricing (60 percent).

Documents for all requests for qualifications may be obtained at the Purchasing Office, City Hall, 501 Palm Avenue, 4th Floor, Hialeah, Florida, by calling 305-883-5857, or by emailing Luis A. Suarez at <u>LASuarez@hialeahfl.gov</u>. A \$200.00, non-refundable fee is required per set of plans payable to the City of Hialeah with a company check or money order.

A MANDATORY PRE-PROPOSAL MEETING will be held on TUESDAY, MAY 27, 2014 at 10:00 AM at Hialeah City Hall at 501 Palm Avenue, Third Floor Conference Room, Hialeah, Florida 33010. Please contact Luis A. Suarez by phone at 305-883-5857 or via email at LASuarez@hialeahfl.gov to confirm attendance. Deadline for R.F.I will be June 3, 2014 @ 11AM.

Two original, six copies, and one reproducible electronic copy of the Respondent's Proposal shall be submitted in sealed envelopes or boxes marked "Proposals for Drilling, Construction and Testing of Upper Floridian Aquifer Wells #8, 9, 12 and 13 for the City of Hialeah's Brackish Groundwater RO Project." Envelopes or boxes shall show the Respondent's name and address in the upper left-hand corner. Submittals will be opened immediately following the submittal closing time and the names of all Respondents announced electronically. Submittals received after the date and time specified above will not be considered. Submittals must be made in strict accordance with the requirements of this RFP.

A Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the Total Bid Price shall be submitted with the proposal.

The Joint Participation Agreement (JPA) between the City of Hialeah and Miami-Dade County calls for the phased construction of a 17.5-MGD brackish water RO water treatment plant ("ROWTP"). The proposed ROWTP will get its water supply from new deep brackish wells and will dispose of the concentrate from the plant via two (2) underground injection wells, pursuant to stringent timing requirements.

The Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the supplemental general conditions – wages and benefits schedule for construction type "HEAVY" of the latest and current version of the responsible wages and benefits provided in 2-11.16 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

City of Hialeah reserves the right to waive any minor irregularities in any proposal, to reject any or all proposals, and to re-solicit for proposals, as may be deemed to be in the best interest of City of Hialeah.

CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA

Angel Ayala

Acting Purchasing Director

Advertisement Date: Friday, May 16, 2014